

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT**  
**DISTRICT OF NEVADA**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,	)	
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Plaintiff,	)	
	)	
v.	)	2:09-CR-466-PMP (LRL)
	)	
RICARDO SANTACRUZ-BECERILL,	)	
MANUEL GUDINO-SIERRA,	)	
LUIS MIGUEL SAGRERO-ALBA, and	)	
HECTOR GONZALEZ-ALBA,	)	
	)	
Defendants.	)	

**PRELIMINARY ORDER OF FORFEITURE**

This Court finds that on June 13, 2011, defendant RICARDO SANTACRUZ-BECERILL pled guilty to Count One of a Four-Count Superseding Criminal Indictment charging him with Conspiracy to Distribute a Controlled Substance, in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Section 841(a)(1) and (b)(1)(A)(viii). Docket #37, #120, #124.

This Court finds that on June 13, 2011, defendant MANUEL GUDINO-SIERRA pled guilty to Count One of a Four-Count Superseding Criminal Indictment charging him with Conspiracy to Distribute a Controlled Substance, in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Section 841(a)(1) and (b)(1)(A)(viii). Docket #37, #123, #125.

This Court finds that on June 13, 2011, defendant LUIS MIGUEL SAGRERO-ALBA pled guilty to Count One of a Four-Count Superseding Criminal Indictment charging him with Conspiracy

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1 to Distribute a Controlled Substance, in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Section 841(a)(1)  
2 and (b)(1)(A)(viii). Docket #37, #122, #126.

3 This Court finds that on June 13, 2011, defendant HECTOR GONZALEZ-ALBA pled guilty  
4 to Count One of a Four-Count Superseding Criminal Indictment charging him with Conspiracy to  
5 Distribute a Controlled Substance, in violation of Title 21, United States Code, Section 841(a)(1)  
6 and (b)(1)(A)(viii). Docket #37, #121, #127.

7 This Court finds defendants RICARDO SANTACRUZ-BECERILL, MANUEL GUDINO-  
8 SIERRA, LUIS MIGUEL SAGRERO-ALBA, and HECTOR GONZALEZ-ALBA agreed to the  
9 forfeiture of the property set forth in Forfeiture Allegation Three of the Superseding Criminal  
10 Indictment and in the Plea Memoranda. #37, #120-127.

11 This Court finds, pursuant to Fed. R. Crim. P. 32.2(b)(1) and (2), the United States of America  
12 has shown the requisite nexus between property set forth in Forfeiture Allegation Three of the  
13 Superseding Criminal Indictment and the offense to which defendants RICARDO SANTACRUZ-  
14 BECERILL, MANUEL GUDINO-SIERRA, LUIS MIGUEL SAGRERO-ALBA, and HECTOR  
15 GONZALEZ-ALBA pled guilty.

16 The following asset is subject to forfeiture pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section  
17 924(d)(1) and Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461(c):

- 18 1. .22 caliber Davis Industries Model DM22 handgun, bearing serial number  
19 305603, and
- 20 2. any and all ammunition.

21 This Court finds the United States of America is now entitled to, and should, reduce the  
22 aforementioned property to the possession of the United States of America.

23 NOW THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED that the  
24 United States of America should seize the aforementioned property.

25 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED all right, title, and interest of  
26 RICARDO SANTACRUZ-BECERILL, MANUEL GUDINO-SIERRA, LUIS MIGUEL

1 SAGRERO-ALBA, and HECTOR GONZALEZ-ALBA in the aforementioned property is forfeited  
2 and is vested in the United States of America and shall be safely held by the United States of  
3 America until further order of the Court.

4 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED the United States of America  
5 shall publish for at least thirty (30) consecutive days on the official internet government forfeiture  
6 website, [www.forfeiture.gov](http://www.forfeiture.gov), notice of this Order, which shall describe the forfeited property, state  
7 the time under the applicable statute when a petition contesting the forfeiture must be filed, and state  
8 the name and contact information for the government attorney to be served with the petition,  
9 pursuant to Fed. R. Crim. P. 32.2(b)(6) and Title 21, United States Code, Section 853(n)(2).

10 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED a petition, if any, must be filed  
11 with the Clerk of the Court, 333 Las Vegas Boulevard South, Las Vegas, Nevada 89101.

12 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED a copy of the petition, if any,  
13 shall be served upon the Asset Forfeiture Attorney of the United States Attorney's Office at the  
14 following address at the time of filing:

15 Michael A. Humphreys  
16 Assistant United States Attorney  
17 Daniel D. Hollingsworth  
18 Assistant United States Attorney  
19 Lloyd D. George United States Courthouse  
20 333 Las Vegas Boulevard South, Suite 5000  
21 Las Vegas, Nevada 89101.

22 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED, ADJUDGED, AND DECREED the notice described herein  
23 need not be published in the event a Declaration of Forfeiture is issued by the appropriate agency  
24 following publication of notice of seizure and intent to administratively forfeit the above-described  
25 property.

26 DATED this \_\_28th day of June, 2011.

  
UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

**PROOF OF SERVICE**

I, Elizabeth Baechler-Warren, Forfeiture Support Associate Paralegal, certify that the following individual was served with a copy of the Final Order of Forfeiture on June 14, 2011, by the below identified method of service:

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